

REORGANIZATION MEETING JANUARY 3, 2017

The Franklin Township Board of Supervisors met to reorganize on Monday, January 3, 2017 at 4:00 P.M. in the Franklin Township Building, Route 288, Fombell. Supervisors in attendance were James Norton Sr., Curt Steffler, & Eric Clyde.

Visitors: Brad Kirkham

The meeting was called to order by Mr. Norton who voiced the invocation, followed by the salute to the flag.

Nominations were opened for the position of Chairman of the Board of Supervisors.

Mr. Clyde moved to appoint Mr. Norton chairman of the Board of Supervisors for 2017. The motion was seconded by Mr. Steffler.

Roll Call: Mr. Norton yes
Mr. Clyde yes
Mr. Steffler yes

Mr. Steffler moved to appoint Mr. Clyde vice-chairman of the Board of Supervisors for 2017. Mr. Norton seconded the motion.

Roll Call: Mr. Clyde yes
Mr. Steffler yes
Mr. Norton yes

Annual Appointments 2017

The following was read aloud by Mr. Norton.

Mr. Norton as Road Master.

Mr. Steffler & Mr. Clyde as Assistant Road Supervisor.

Mr. Steffler as Police Supervisor.

Mr. Clyde and Mr. Norton as Assistant Police Supervisors.

Recommend the auditors set the wages for supervisors working in any capacity allowed by the Second Class Township Code at \$17.28 per hour.

Regular township meetings for 2017 on the 3rd Monday of every month at 4:00 P.M.

Supervisors, Secretary, Roadmaster, Chief of Police and Solicitor are permitted to attend the State Convention in Hershey and that Mr. Norton be appointed voting delegate.

Mr. Norton as COG representatives and Mr. Steffler as the alternate.

Mr. Norton as representative for the Chamber of Commerce.

WesBanco, PLGIT, & Huntington Bank as depositories for 2017.

Shannon Schlosser as secretary & treasurer at 3% rate increase.

Set treasurers bond to \$1,500,000.

Police Pension contribution rate was waived for 2017.

Appoint the following tax collectors:

Street Light, Fire Hydrant, Fire Protection – Kristen Kelosky

Local Services Tax– Berkheimer

Earned Income Tax – Berkheimer

Delinquent Street Light, Fire Hydrant and Fire Protection – Sharp Collections

Reed, Tosh, Wolford and Douglass as solicitor for 2017.

William Hummel as Engineer.

David Brenner as independent auditor.

Shirley Baird as Janitor at a rate of \$50.00 per day.

Doug Duncan as Primary Sewage Enforcement Officer. Charles Smith and David Ice as Secondary Sewage Enforcement Officers.

Wayne Parsons as Zoning Officer at \$175.00 per month.

Police Department:

Rudy Harkins as part time Chief of Police for one year with no benefits subject to further negotiations at a salary of \$51,755.15.

Eli Nye as full-time police Sergeant at \$21.55/hr.

Dakota Fennell & Nicholas McHenry as full-time police patrolmen at \$19.59/hr.

Joshua Shimko as part-time police Corporal at \$18.70/hr.

William Daufen, Douglas Hanna, & Richard Kruger as part-time patrolmen at \$17.81/hr.

John Wiley as Animal Control at \$350 monthly.

James M. Norton Sr., Stacy Scott, and Bob Wright as Fire Police.

Road Department:

Mike Boots as roadmaster/equipment operator, at \$.40 increase.

Carl Zilka Jr. as Operator at \$.40 increase.

Jim Higgins and Bronson Clyde as Assistant Operators at \$.40 increase.

Labors at \$.40 increase.

Curt Pepper to the Zoning Hearing Board.

Joel McKenna as Chairman of the Franklin Township Municipal Authority.

Municipal Authority meeting pay at \$50.00 per meeting.

James Wright as emergency management coordinator.

Chief of Police and Jim Braunbeck as assistant emergency management coordinators.

William Wright as vacancy board chairman.

Jim Spiker, Dan Mravintz, Carl Sockaci, Jim Norton, & Robert Kettler as Agricultural Security Committee.

The following Fire Department Officers:

Chief – Steve Bailey
Assistant Chiefs – Alan Martino
President – Troy Follett
Vice-President – John Battaglia
Secretary – Kristina Welsh
Treasurer – James Norton Sr.

Mileage rate set by the IRS at \$.535 per mile.

Mr. Clyde moved to accept the appointments and list as read aloud. Mr. Steffler seconded the motion.

Roll Call: Mr. Norton yes
Mr. Steffler yes
Mr. Clyde yes (Mr. Clyde was not in favor of hiring another Full-Time Officer)

Mr. Norton closed the reorganization meeting.

Shannon Schlosser
Secretary/Treasurer